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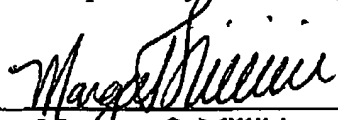
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2006. Please amend the application as follows. Please charge Deposit Account 50-0568 for any fees that may be required by the filing of this paper or any attachments hereto.

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